

"The churches of Christ salute you" Rom. 16:16

Warners Chapel Church of Christ

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A CORDIAL WELCOME AWAITS YOU

July 7, 2019

Five Reasons to Believe in God

1. The universe had a beginning.

The fact that the universe is winding down, headed toward greater entropy, moving in the direction of a less-ordered state, using itself up in way that it is becoming less useful, proves that it had a beginning. The universe is not eternal. Also, the fact that no new matter is being created, indicates the universe could not have created itself from nothing. The universe must have been caused by something greater than the universe and of a different nature than the universe.

2. The universe shows evidence of design.

Psalm 119, Romans 1:20 and other passages speak to the fact that the universe gives great evidence of design. The evidence of intelligent design within the universe is seemingly unlimited. The existence of the genetic code proves an intelligent source for life. The genetic code is intelligent information and intelligent information can only come from an intelligent source.

3. Life can only come from life.

Biogenesis is the scientific law proven many years ago by numerous well-known scientists such as Louis Pasteur. This law of science tells us life can only come from life. Life does not come from non-living matter. Therefore, the spontaneous generation of life from non-living matter could not have occurred.

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Is it possible amino acids cold have existed in a body of water that somehow merged together in the right sequence to form a protein which became the basic building block of life? No. In order for proteins to be developed, DNA must exist to provide the code necessary for the sequencing of the amino acids.

4. Neo-Darwinian Macro does not work.

In order for a species to advance there must be a force which adds genetic information to the DNA of the organism. There is no such thing. Evolution doesn't work. Dogs may increase in variety, but they remain dogs. Dogs don't advance to a higher level. Apes remain apes, monkeys remain monkeys, and people have always been people.

The mechanism for evolution has often been said to be beneficial mutations. Multiplied millions of rapidly occurring beneficial genetic mutations would have to occur to account for the Darwinian evolution of man. They don't. In fact, beneficial mutations are hard to find and are very rare, if they even exist at all. Furthermore, genetic mutations don't add the genetic information that would be required to advance a species.

5. The Bible is a credible witness and source.

The fulfillment of Biblical prophecy, the amazing preservation of the Bible, the interesting scientific foreknowledge of the Scriptures, and the remarkable origin and unity of the Word of God all give evidence that there is a God and the Bible is from God. The Bible is God's message to man. The Bible tells man all about the self-existent, supremely intelligent, all-powerful God who created the universe in which we live.

~Kevin V. Rutherford

STANDING ON THE PROMISES OR SITTING ON THE PREMISES

We often sing the hymn "Standing on the Promises," but do we really mean what we sing or are we just "sitting on the premises." Paul in 1 Corinthians 14:15 wrote that we are to sing with the spirit and the understanding. Each of us needs to do our best to concentrate on our worship to God whether it is the song service, prayer, the preaching, the giving of our means, or the Lord's Supper. When we allow ourselves to become inattentive, we are not performing the acts of worship commanded of us. In this age of mass communications and electronics, we have become accustomed to things that grab our attention. This makes it even more important to relearn the art of concentration. Our worship must come from the heart if we are to be pleasing to God.

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READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2019

July 8 - Acts 15:22-41

July 9 - Acts 16:1-21

July 10 - Acts 16:22-40

July 11 - Acts 17:1-15



July 12 - Acts 17:16-34

July 13 - Acts 18

July 14 - Acts 19:1-20



OUR SICK Please Remember in Your Prayers

Please keep **Don Jackson**, in your prayers. He underwent surgery to replace his pacemaker last week and is reported to be having trouble with the replacement. He is scheduled to see the doctor this coming week.

Mary Anne Allen has learned she has a small, slow growing mass in her body, and with this being the case, she needs all our prayer warriors on board to pray for the success of the up-coming procedures and surgery in the very near future. Thanks in Advance, John and Mary Anne.

Update on Wayne Hutchins. He was having difficulty breathing and a very high heart rate last week and was treated at the hospital with medication and released. He was scheduled to see his doctor this past Monday. Please keep him in your prayers.

Also, Wayne's niece, Brittany White, age 18, was working at a veterinary office grinding food for the animals when she got her hand caught in the grinder. Unfortunately, the doctor had to amputate her hand. She is doing well and is at home now. Prayers requested.

Please pray for **Sandy Smith**, that she will overcome the problems that have troubled her over the past, and that she will grow stronger as a Christian and stronger in her physical life.

Virginia Kee, grandmother of Emily Workman, will be having tests over the next couple of days regarding some pain she is currently experiencing in her chest and abdomen. Please pray for good results.

Please pray for my co-worker, **Tammy Holder** and her son, **Austin.** - Pat Belch.

SHUT-INS

Mary Ellen Dull Ernestine Martin
Carolyn Minor

Please remember the shut-ins in your prayers

~PLACED MEMBERSHIP~

We welcome Herman Doss, who placed his membership here at Warners Chapel recently. Mr. Doss' address is:

> Rose Glen Village, 407 West Main St., Room 309 Wilkesboro, NC 28697 Telephone: 828-406-8073.

Please add Mr. Doss to your Warners Chapel Directory.



WE ARE HAPPY TO HAVE YOU VISITING WITH US THIS MORNING. WE INVITE YOU TO RETURN THIS EVENING AT 6:00 P.M. FOR THE SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE AND AT 7:00 P.M. EACH WEDNESDAY EVENING FOR THE MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY.

WARNERS CHAPEL EVENTS:

July 28-July 31 - Warners Chapel VBS. Theme: Great Men Of The Old Testament. There will be classes all the way from the nursery to adults. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. Time: Sunday: 6-7 p.m., Monday-Wednesday: 7-8 p.m.

AREA EVENTS:

July 14-19 - Old-Fashioned Tent Meeting with guest speaker: John Brown.

(See Bulletin Board for more information)

SOUTHWEST FOOD PANTRY



The suggested items for the month of **July:**

School supplies or canned fruit

Laundry detergent, hand dishwashing liquid, soap would be greatly appreciated at any time.

(<u>The SW Food Pantry will remain open during the summer months.</u>)

New address for Don and Sherri Blackwell:

WFRC #003 c/o Shepherd Center 2020 Peachtree Rd., NW Atlanta, GA 30309

FOR THE RECORD

Sunday Bible Study - June 30, 2019:	133
Sunday Worship Service:	157
Contribution for June 30, 2019:	\$8,298
Daily Bible Readers:	33
Chapters Read:	645
Sunday Evening Worship Service: June 30, 2019	122
Wednesday Evening Bible Study: July 3, 2019	100

Lord's Day Appointments For July, 2019

Serving the Lord's Table For July:

Tommy Rose

Rodney Brown Mark Clemmons

Harry Picciuto Dana Hinson Steve Tesh Brad Hoots

Preparing Communion for July: Making Announcements on Sunday: Making Announcements on Wednesday:

Lord's Day Appointments - July 14, 2019

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Shawn Thomason Morning - Todd Hinson A.M. - Wayne Allen A.M. - Jim Harrison Song Leader - Tim Allen Evening - Nathan Roy P.M. - Justin Little P.M. - Keith Warner

Prayer - Jake Woodbury Wed. - Justin Little

Greeters for July:

D.C. and Ingrid Mock

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday: - July 14 ~ Andy Santiago Wednesday: - July 17 ~ Andy Santiago

Lord's Day Appointments - July 7, 2019

DEVOTIONS: OPENING PRAYER: SONG LEADER SCRIPTURE READERS

Scripture - Rodney Brown Morning - Caleb Rutherford A.M. - Gene Southern Fong Leader - Wayne Allen Evening - Roger Allen Prayer - Steve Martin Wed. - David Shoaf

Opening and Closing Building

Sunday:- July 7~ Mark MinorGreeters for July:Wednesday:- July 10~ Mark MinorD.C. and Ingrid Mock

SCHEDULE OF SERVICES - Nursery open for small children during all services.

SUNDAY:

Bible Classes 10:00 AM
Morning Worship 10:50 AM
Evening Worship 6:00 PM
WEDNESDAY: Mid-Week Service 7:00 PM

"GETTING TO KNOW YOUR BIBLE" at 10:30 p.m. each week night on Cable 8 SEARCH PROGRAM - Sunday Mornings at 7:30 a.m. on Cable 68

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ELDERS DEACONS

Tim Allen
Todd Hinson
Steve Tesh
Andy Santiago

Randy Warner
Keith Warner
Mark Minor
Jason Allen
Jody Everett

Gene Southern
Shawn Thomason
Mark Roy
Adam Warner
Jacob Woodbury